

PRINCESS THEATRE
TODAY
Monroe Salisbury
—in—
"His Divorced Wife"
Princess Theatre Turned Over
to the Central Labor Union on
Monday Night.

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PRINCESS THEATRE
TOMORROW
Dorothy Dalton
—in—
"L' APACHE"
Pathe News
Matinee.....10 and 20c
Night.....10, 20 and 30c
Children under 12, always.....10c

2.75 PER CENT BEER GETS A KNOCK OUT

3,100 ALLEGED REDS WERE CAPTURED IN FEDERAL RAIDS AND DRIVE IS CONTINUING

Frank Burke, Assistant Chief,
Gives Out the Exact Figures
in Statement Today.

MANY ADDITIONAL PERSONS QUESTIONED

However, the Exact Number of
These Has Not Been Fully
Ascertained.

(International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Total arrests in the raids on the communist party and the communist labor party now are 3,100, according to the estimate today of Frank Burke, assistant chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice. The raids were still going on, he stated.

The estimate of 3,100 arrests represents arrests of persons against whom the government has "pressing cases," Burke said. He declared that there was no accurate information of the total number of persons questioned, but he declared that estimates that 4,200 persons had been arrested were greatly exaggerated.

(International News Service.)

LAWRENCE, Mass., Jan. 5.—A walk-out today of all mill workers who are members of the Amalgamated Textile Workers, called in protest against the arrest of Ima Kaplan and several other leaders caught in the red round-up, proved a failure when only twelve men responded to the call.

REPUBLICANS PLAN FOR 1920 BATTLE

(International News Service.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Politics took the center of the stage in Chicago today with the session here of a republican conference under the leadership of Chairman Will H. Hays to discuss convention matters and 1920 war plans. The conference is composed of leaders throughout the central west.

The session will conclude tonight with a love feast at which two potential presidential candidates will be the guests of honor—Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood and Gov. Frank Lowden. Clarence C. Miller, of Minneapolis, probably will be selected as secretary of the national committee.

GLASS WON'T TAKE SEAT UNTIL 15TH

(International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Secretary of the Treasury Glass, at the request of President Wilson, will not take his seat as senator from Virginia until January 15, it was announced at the white house today. On that date the caucus of democratic senators will be held when either Senator Hitchcock or Senator Underwood will be chosen as democratic leader.

It is expected that the President will name the new secretary of the treasury by Jan. 15 and that he will also accept the resignation of Secretary of the Interior Lane by that time.

Roth is Named District Attorney

(International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The President sent the following nomination to the senate this morning: To be assistant attorney general, Francis P. Garvin, of New York; to be U. S. attorney, Richard P. Roth, of Alabama, district of Alabama, division No. 4.

WEATHER FORECAST
Rain and warmer tonight and Tuesday.

SUPREME COURT HOLDS MILD BEER IS ILLEGAL

Three Justices Dissented. Criminal Penalties
Do Not Apply in One-Half Per Cent Cases.

(International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Justice Brandeis today in the supreme court read a decision refusing to lift the prohibition ban on 2.75 per cent beer. Justice Reynolds, Justice Day and Justice Vandeventer dissented from the opinion of the court, as delivered by Justice Brandeis. The dissenting opinion was read by Justice Reynolds.

The adverse decision was handed down in the case of Jacob Ruppert, a corporation, New York vs. Frances G. Caffey, U. S. attorney, southern district New York, and Richard J. McElligott, deputy collector of the third district of New York.

The Ruppert case was a test case in behalf of all brewers making "non-intoxicating beer." It was alleged that over a billion dollars of property interests were involved in the controversy.

PENALTIES DON'T APPLY

(International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—In the cases of the U. S. against the Standard Brewery of Baltimore and the American Brewing Co. of New Orleans, which involved the question whether beer containing 1/2 of 1 per cent of alcohol or more was in violation of the act of Nov. 2, 1918, supreme court Justice Day rendered a decision today against the government and in favor of the contesting breweries. These cases involved questions of prosecutions and penalties under the criminal sections of the law against which the two breweries contended.

GRAVITY TO FACE DEATH ON STREETS

Blindfolded, chained to a chair with several yards of solid steel chain and half a dozen locks, Gravity, who will appear for two days at the Princess theatre, will face a speeding automobile on Second avenue at 7 o'clock tonight, and attempt to liberate himself before the flying auto can cover a distance of fifty feet.

Tuesday afternoon Gravity will balance himself upon the two back legs of a common kitchen chair on the roof of the theatre, beginning the stunt at 2 p. m.

The free acts are said to be very sensational and are expected to be seen by large crowds.

President to Send Special Message to Jackson Diners

(International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—President Wilson will send an important message to the democratic dinner on Jackson day, January 8, it was officially announced at the White House today. No further information was forthcoming concerning the message, but rumor arose that the president was to set forth his position as to a third term.

Wyker at Home Hale and Hearty

John D. Wyker, prominent Decatur business man and one of the best known residents of this section, has arrived home from Mayo Brothers' hospital at Rochester, where he was operated on, and today was receiving the congratulations of friends on his rapid recovery.

Mr. Wyker, while still weak, expects to regain his normal strength in a few weeks.

COTTON MARKET
Middling 38 cents.

MEMBERS OF AMERICAN LEGION OUSTED FROM CHICAGO UNION

Windy City Federation of Labor Also Opposes
Red Raid and Endorses Berger

(International News Service.)

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On the theory that anyone who is a member of the Legion cannot be in sympathy with the labor movement, the union is making plans to oust any

HARDAGE BELIEVES OIL DEVELOPMENT WILL BE STARTED IN MORGAN SOON

"Outlook is Promising," He
States Before Departure
for Louisiana

GEOLOGISTS DECLARE OIL EVIDENCES HERE

Made Proposition on Behalf of
Magna to Place a Well

Active development of the oil possibilities of Morgan county will be started before many months have passed, is the belief of Lewis Hardage, former football star and now interested in oil companies in Texas, Oklahoma and Louisiana.

"The outlook is good for the development here he states yesterday afternoon just before his departure for Louisiana, where he is now stationed, after spending the Christmas holidays with his mother here.

Several weeks ago Mr. Hardage made a proposition to local people on behalf of a Texas magna to drill a well in Morgan county on two conditions: first, that the report of the geologists is favorable. Second, that the promoter be given leases on several thousand acres, the leases calling for a share in all oil found.

During the past few weeks geologists have been quietly investigating the oil possibilities here and have been favorably impressed. Recently one geologist returned to Texas, after investigating the resources of North Alabama, and declared his belief that this section will be one of the greatest oil centers in the United States within a few years.

WOMAN TESTIFIES OF ZAPISTA TALK

(International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Mrs. Cora Sturgis, of Washington, testifying this afternoon before the senate subcommittee investigating relations with Mexico, declared that Zapistas in Mexico had charged that U. S. Ambassador Fletcher received \$1,000,000 from the Carranza government for a "clean bill of health for Mexico in the U. S."

Mrs. Sturgis told of being taken prisoner by the Zapista forces "who worked with the Carranza forces against Americans," and being held by them for eight months.

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MEXICO IS SHAKEN BY AN EARTHQUAKE WITH HEAVY LOSS IN SOME SECTIONS

Definite Reports Lacking as to
Exact Nature of the
Damage

SEVERAL SMALL TOWNS REPORTED AS DESTROYED

American Properties at Ft. Lobos
Were in the Stricken
Zone

(International News Service.)

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 5.—Definite reports of the complete damage and loss of life caused by the earthquake in eastern and southern Mexico were lacking today as the result of the severance of wire communication.

It is known, however, that several small towns were destroyed and that others were badly damaged. It is feared that the loss of life was severe. The shock continued at intervals for hours. Teocelo and Cosayla, in the state of Vera Cruz, were destroyed. Other towns and villages in the state of Oaxaca, Tamaulapa, and Guerrero were damaged. It is reported that Ft. Lobos, north of Tampico, where several American oil corporation have big terminals, were damaged.

LABOR LEADERS SPEAK TONIGHT

William L. Harrison, president of the Alabama Federation of Labor and Secretary Bowen of the same organization, will be the principal speakers at a mass meeting at the Princess theatre at 7:30 o'clock tonight. All union men have been urged to attend.

Efforts are being made by the organized crafts to obtain an extension of the registration period. Under the new registration law, it is stated, the commissioners court may give authority to the registrar to hold additional registrations.

Morgan County's Registrar is Busy

Claude Gilchrist, Morgan county registrar, is one of the busiest men in the county today.

Hundreds of citizens were visiting his office at the courthouse today to get their names on the poll lists for this year. Today is probably the last opportunity citizens will have to register for the next two years.

Visits Morgan for the First Time in Quarter of Century

Frank Hamilton today is renewing old acquaintances here on his first visit to Morgan county in 27 years. Mr. Hamilton's home now is in the southern part of Oklahoma.

"I would get lost here now," he stated this morning, "the changes and improvements made since I left are numerous. Even the old roads I used to travel seem changed. The landmarks are gone. New farms have sprung up and forests have become prosperous farms. Albany and Decatur are entirely changed. Their growth is remarkable."

Sunday Night Was Coldest This Year

Sunday night was the coldest this year Mrs. A. H. Irons, government observer, announced today. Uncle Sam's thermometer showed a reading of 14 for the wet season hour, but had climbed to 29 this morning.

Low temperatures are predicted for the week in the following government forecast: Low temperatures are indicated for the week, with unsettled weather and rain, probably by the middle of the week.

MUCH IS PROMISED BY NEW YEAR FOR TENNESSEE VALLEY

FORMER MANAGER OF LAWRENCEBURG TO MAKE TOUR IN INTEREST LEAGUE

Ernest Smith is Coming Here to
Confer With the Local
Sportsmen

SIX-CLUB CIRCUIT IS PROPOSED FOR SEASON

Smith May Lead the Albany-
Decatur or Florence Team

Ernest Smith, former catcher and manager of the Lawrenceburg baseball team, will make a tour of North Alabama cities seen in the interest of the proposed Alabama-Tennessee league, he announced today in a letter to the Albany-Decatur Daily. Smith's home is in Nashville.

Mr. Smith will try to form a six-club circuit composed of Albany-Decatur, Florence, Huntsville, Columbia, Philaski and Lawrenceburg. Lawrenceburg and Albany-Decatur had strong teams last year and played exhibition games in Columbia, Athens and Lynnvile, drawing a large attendance. Efforts were made last season to form a league but it was decided later to play semi-pro ball here and wait until 1920 before attempting to place the team on an organized baseball basis.

Lawrenceburg already has started preparations for next season's club. Smith will not lead the team in 1920 being succeeded by "Doc" Cook, who, it is understood, has placed his signature to a contract and now is looking for new material. It probably will be made offers by other clubs in the circuit. Florence is reported to have been after him, while many fans in Albany-Decatur would like to see him at the local ball next year.

SOFIA POPULACE AFTER THE DYNASTY

(International News Service.)

LONDON, Jan. 5.—One hundred casualties are reported in a series of violent anti-dynastic demonstrations at Sofia, Bulgaria, according to the Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Basle today.

Prominent Farmer Died This Morning

Loss Lynne, one of the most prominent farmers of Morgan county, died this morning at his home near Sonerville, according to word received here. Mr. Lynne is survived by several sons and daughters and was an uncle of S. A. Lynne, Decatur attorney and Morgan county representative in the legislature.

GERMANY'S GREATEST LAWYER TO DEFEND FORMER KAISER

Dr. Johannes Kreige Has Been Selected to
Lead Counsel for the Defense.

(International News Service.)

BERLIN, Jan. 5.—Germany's greatest international lawyer, Johannes W. Kreige, doctor of jurisprudence, has been selected to lead the counsel for the defense of William Hohenzollern, the former kaiser, if extradited from Holland and placed on trial before an international tribunal. Kreige was said today by royalists to be in close touch with the ex-emperor at Amerongen.

The monarchists seek to give the impression that the ex-kaiser is not

(By H. Fontaine Little)

SHEFFIELD, Ala., Jan. 5 (Special)

—With prospects bright for the United States Government expending more than \$12,000,000 in further development of the Sheffield-Muscle Shoals nitrate enterprises, and as much perhaps in building the Wilson Dam, there is apparently in store a greater score of achievement for the Muscle Shoals district during 1920 than was noted during the past twelve months, which passed with variations of progress and prosperity throughout this community, as compared with the hectic days of 1918, when the war boom was at its height.

Not only is there reason for the Tri-Cities of Sheffield, Tusculumbia and Florence to be expectant of the immediate future, but like wise the entire Tennessee Valley section including the cities of Albany, Decatur, Athens and Huntsville, need to be on the qui vive in contemplation of the greater and more stable era of development destined to become established in this section of Alabama.

As a matter of fact, there is no bewildering uncertainty about the realization of these things. There may have been an upsetting of confident prophecies in times past, but today "uncertainties" are practically removed from the premises. The Muscle Shoals district is well fortified with enterprise, and henceforth it bids fair to hum with never-ending industry. And the entire Tennessee Valley will be the beneficiary in the very fullest measure.

The great nitrate industries established here by the government during the war period, are on the eve of peace-time operation. Legislation is pending in Congress that will hasten the passage because of the demand and great pressure behind the measures. Secretary of War Baker and the agricultural interests of the country and other allied workers, are urging Congress to immediate action. The secretary of war last week appeared before the special House committee and laid before it the government's side of the case, explaining the necessity of appropriating the \$12,000,000, required to further the usefulness of the nitrate projects.

New Acid Plant Needed

As explained by Secretary Baker, approximately \$3,000,000 is the sum required to cover the cost of erecting a sulphuric acid plant to make ammonium sulphate instead of ammonium nitrate, the former being used largely in the manufacture of fertilizer, and the latter being a principal in explosives, necessary only during war times. The remainder of the \$12,000,000 fund is needed as working capital in operating the industries for fertilizer manufacture and marketing the products.

Hydro-Electric Development

Concomitant with the proposed operation of the Muscle Shoals nitrate plants, the construction progress on the Wilson Dam at Muscle Shoals continues on an extensive scale, and will become more extended during the present year. The engineering and working forces are splendidly organized for expediting the work in the future. Industrially, the dam construction is the stimulating agency of

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CONGRESS IS AGAIN IN SESSION; WILL BOUNCE V. BERGER VERY FIRST THING

Senate Takes Up Water Power
Bill and House Goes After
Expelled Member

PEACE TREATY SOON BEFORE THE SENATE

Sterling Sedition Bill Will Also
Be Called Up For Immediate
Passage.

(International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Congress re-convened today after a holiday recess to take up a full calendar of domestic legislation and with the settlement of the treaty situation by senate leaders promised in the near future.

The business before the senate was the water power bill which was made unfinished just before the recess adjournment two weeks ago. When this is passed the Sterling sedition bill will be taken up. Following the disposition of the Sterling bill, the Kenyon Americanization bill will be taken up. This bill would compel the education of illiterate aliens.

Victor L. Berger and the Irish question were pushed to the front in the house.

Plans are being framed by house leaders to make short work of the Berger contest for a seat in the house. Representative Ballinger, of Massachusetts, is expected to present immediately a resolution declaring Berger ineligible, and to ask the House to adopt it without delay. The right of Bodenshtab, his contestant in the Wisconsin election, to a seat in place of Berger will be sent probably to a house committee for investigation and report. Representative Lufkin, of Massachusetts, in the house today introduced a resolution calling on Secretary of the Navy Daniels to submit all of the evidence in the naval medal awards controversy to the house.

NAVAL REPARATION TERMS MODIFIED

ALLIES TO ACCEPT ONLY 250,000
TONS OF SHIPPING FROM
GERMANY.

(International News Service.)

PARIS, Jan. 5.—The supreme council has agreed to reduce the naval reparations which Germany must make for the sinking of the interned German fleet at Scapa Flow from 400,000 to 250,000 tons, according to information from an authentic source today. A favorable German reply to the latest allied terms is expected tomorrow. It is believed that the final protocol will be signed by the end of this week.

Clemenceau Says He Can't Escape From His Friends

(International News Service.)

PARIS, Jan. 5.—"The truth of the matter is that they are thrusting the presidency of France upon me," Premier Clemenceau was reported today to have told a visitor who questioned him upon his political future. The story of the conversation was told by Marcel Hutin, political writer of the Echo De Paris.

John Williams is Held on \$500 Bail

John Williams, charged with burglary and arrested with 13 others as a result of the recent drive of the Albany police to stamp out petty thieving, today was held to the grand jury by Judge W. T. Lowe in the county court. Several other defendants held on the same charge will be given preliminary hearings Judge Lowe today.

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Announcements

(Paid Political Advertising.)
TAX COLLECTOR

We are authorized to announce Hodges Crow as a candidate for Tax Collector of Morgan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Your vote and influence solicited.

We are authorized to announce Samuel E. Roper as a candidate for Tax Collector of Morgan county, subject to the action of the regular primary. Advertisement.

We are authorized to announce F. M. Hamilton as a candidate for Tax Collector of Morgan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. He will greatly appreciate the vote and influence of the citizens of Morgan county.

We are authorized to announce James A. Forman as a candidate for Tax Collector of Morgan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce Jack A. Robinson as a candidate for Tax Collector of Morgan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary. Your vote and influence appreciated.

FOR TAX ASSESSOR

We are authorized to announce Thomas H. Gunn, of Trinity, as a candidate for tax assessor of Morgan County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

Get Morgan County Out of the Mud**VOTE FOR THE GOOD ROADS BOND ISSUE****AMBITIOUS ANNOUNCEMENT OF HUNTSVILLE TIMES**

The Huntsville Daily Times, one of the two thriving daily newspapers published at the Madison county capital, has somewhat startled newspaperdom by announcing that in the near future it will erect a ten story building at the intersection of Holmes and Green streets, two important thoroughfares, which it will occupy in part as a newspaper office, the eight upper stories to be rented for offices or as apartments. The estimated cost of the building will be about \$250,000.

The gentle reader need not infer from this announcement that the newspaper business in Huntsville is so flourishing as to enable mere editors to erect great sky-scrapers at random. On the contrary, it is the same over there as over here—a mediocre recompense fellows much work and diligent economy. Editor J. Emory Pierce, of the Times, however, was long since bitten by the bug of accumulation, and has that sixth sense possessed by but few members of the Fourth Estate—the business instinct. He is looking far into the future, is financing with the fearlessness of a Rockefeller and is doing a thing that the average member of his profession would not have the hardihood to attempt. He is also serving Huntsville, in that he is helping it to solve its housing problem, one which acutely confronts every growing municipality with a desire to expand.

The Daily is most pleased to congratulate the Huntsville Times upon its enterprise, and to wish it every success in its new and ambitious venture.

HERBERT HOOVER**A POSSIBLE CANDIDATE**

In the event that the managers of the two dominant parties find it necessary to follow popular demand and to who is the nominee for president this year—should the favorite sons and those who have actively sought the nomination be finally voted out of consideration—who will prove to be the "dark horse"?

Such a question could not be answered at this time. In the first place it is not at all certain that the people will settle on any one candidate. It is barely possible, however, that they will settle upon a man in one of the great conventions and force his nomination, somewhat after the fashion of the nomination of William J. Bryan in 1896. In the event that the promoters of political booms fail; and Herbert Hoover, can be gotten to commit himself sufficiently by convention time, the former food administrator may prove a high possibility in the presidential race.

Hoover's name is indeed a household word throughout the nation. And he is perhaps better known throughout the world at large and demands international problems more than any of the present avowed

candidates for president. Mr. Hoover is big enough and fair enough to have come out squarely for the right of labor to bargain collectively and has upheld labor's right to get its leaders from anywhere in the country they please, whether such work in certain industries or in no industry. It was failure of the first industrial conference to agree on this question that broke it up. It would seem that Hoover's position on this very important matter would make it easy for labor to give its vote to him. On the other hand, Mr. Hoover's staunch stand against European plans and "isms" including socialism, will tend to make him not unacceptable to the business interests. Speaking of socialism in an article in the Dec. 27th issue of the Saturday Evening Post, Mr. Hoover says that a man's major impulse is to make a living, either for himself or his offspring, and that the matters of pride in craftsmanship and service to the community are minor impulses. He concludes that as long as this is true, that the spurs of necessity and competition are necessary, hence that socialism is impracticable. He further says socialism would be a success only under millennium conditions and adds "then it will not be necessary."

There is no telling what a day will bring forth in national politics. Mr. Hoover will probably not even consider being a presidential candidate, but if later he should, he would likely prove a formidable opponent for any other man in the race.

The death of Berry W. Spence, state news editor of the Nashville Tennessean and American, at Nashville, removes from its ranks of journalism one of its most faithful workers. Mr. Spence was admired for the rugged honesty of his character, and for his devotion to duty.

The Huntsville Times must be congratulated on its magnanimity in advertising the fact that "You can cover the field at one cost through the Daily Herald." The little testimonial to the pulling power of the Herald was published Sunday morning in the left "ear" of the Daily Times.

Athens News

Several changes have taken place in business circles here. Atvis Carter has retired from Smith-Nelson & Carter and goes in with Coffman Bros. & Grutcher.

Geo. Sherrell takes Mr. Carter's place in the above firm and they will move to the Southside of Washington street to the building formerly occupied by Breners cafe.

J. Jaffee will occupy Smith-Nelson store house.

James Martin has moved back to Athens and is with his father in the firm of Martin & Richardson.

Mrs. Elna Cartwright, while visiting her sister, Mrs. Blunt, of Birmingham, sustained a sprained ankle and will remain some time in the city.

W. B. Russell visited his daughter, Mrs. Blunt, of Birmingham.

Miss Elizabeth Hobbs entertained a few of her friends New Year's eve at a dinner party and there was dancing later till the New Year came.

Dr. and Mrs. McDaniel leave for New York this week. Dr. McDaniel will return by Feb. 1.

Mrs. Wright Frost and Mrs. McFarland leave this week for New York city to spend a few weeks, and will stop at some other cities en route.

JUST IN PASSING**FRIENDS REMEMBERED**

Friends of W. C. Johnson, business manager of the Chattanooga News and secretary of the Southern Publishers' Association, have been remembered with a very attractive New Year's card. The handsome card contains an appropriate New Year's wish and a photograph of a News' first page, with the face of Mr. Johnson's baby peering through.

AUTOMOBILE LAUNDRY

FRANK P. LIDE 20-1f

For Colds or Influenza and as a Preventative

Take

"Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets"

Be sure you get the Genuine Look for this signature

E. W. Grove
on the box. 30c

BERLIN TODAY IS MOST IMMORAL CITY IN WORLD

Exclusive Cable to International News Service and London Daily Express.

BERLIN, Jan. 3.—Long before the war broke out Berlin had established a reputation for being the most immoral city in the whole world; and, judging by the sights to be seen here today, the downfall of the Empire, instead of being a warning to the evil-doers, has had the opposite effect. Drunkenness, immorality and obscenity are on the increase, and once staid and respectable citizens are abandoning themselves to the basest forms of lustfulness.

In theatres and music halls formerly catering to the respectable public "poses plastiques" are now the chief attractions, in which costumes are conspicuous by their absence.

The dance halls are nightly crowded with men and women—the latter three-parts nude—while bathing costume balls and similar saturnalia are attended by people who were in pre-war days looked upon as beyond reproach.

Crime is rampant, and not a day passes without people being held up and robbed in places that formerly one could traverse in safety at any hour of the night. Burglaries average about a thousand weekly, and murders are of frequent occurrence.

Decatur Council to Meet Tonight

The Decatur council is scheduled to meet tonight in postponed session and it is expected the request of the power company for increased gas rates will be discussed.

MASONS MEET TONIGHT

There will be a regular meeting of Albany Lodge 491 A. F. and A. M. at 7:30 tonight for the transaction of business. All Master Masons cordially invited.

J. I. CHRISSENGER, W. M.
—Advertisement.

TERRIBLE SUFFERING OF ALABAMA WOMAN

Phoenix City, Ala.—"The change of life left me bedfast with terrible suffering. I was unable to get around my room for over three months. When I found that the doctor's medicine did not make me well, I decided to see what 'Favorite Prescription' would do for me, and the one bottle restored me to perfect health. I realized after the first day's treatment with 'Favorite Prescription' that it was helping me and before that week was up I was able to leave my bed and sit up in a chair, and I no longer had continuous pain. By the time I had taken a box of 'Favorite Prescription' I was a well woman and from that time to this have had none of the pains which had so distressed me. I recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription to all women who suffer."



Mrs. A. M. FISHER, N. R. R. St.

Pains in Back and Neck

Selma, Ala.—"For about six months I have been going down in health. I would have pains through the back of my neck and shoulders and suffered with backache all the time, also pains in my side. My appetite left me, I became very weak and extremely nervous. I tried different medicines but did not get better. Then my mother advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, which I did. I am now on my third bottle and the results have been very satisfactory. I am stronger, my appetite has returned, and I am feeling so much better in every way that I am glad to recommend 'Favorite Prescription' to other women who suffer as I have; they will not regret having given it a trial."—Mrs. N. W. GIBBARD, 2301 E. Alabama Ave.

AMUSEMENTS**MUSIC LOVERS FIND A RICH TREAT IN MINSTRELS**

The Price-Bonelli Greater New York Minstrels have one of the greatest musical organizations traveling today and music lovers are assured a rare treat in attending the show. Norman Moray's Symphony Orchestra was one of the big features on the greatest Chautauqua system last summer, known as the Edison-White. They play principally the biggest of musical attractions like Alice Neilson, San Carlos Grand Opera Company, and the bringing of Norman Moray to the Price-Bonelli minstrels meant an assured success to the show. While in reality, the orchestra have only one opportunity to prove their skill, they render a series of numbers between the first part and the olio, introducing the light and popular Cavalry Charge number of Laders, a trombone solo jazz number and the scintillating weird Dagger Dance from the Indian Opera "Natoma." Prof. Moray has the charge of the Band as well and will render two open air concerts daily on the streets. Among the noted vocalists is Charles Blackford, from the Chicago Opera forces; Edouard Reche, a noted French tenor and late of the New Orleans Grand Opera Company, while James Henley, for years in minstrelsy is still a popular balladist. The ensemble numbers are well sung, while the Torenor number from Carmen is rendered as the closing to the first part by the entire company. The end men have in the main singing voices which assure on an evening of perfect enjoyment from the musical side. But while there is a tendency to the very highest type of music, fun abounds generously every moment. At the Masonic Theatre, Tuesday night, Jan. 6.

NEW LAWS OF THE WOODMEN OF WORLD

Hon Walter M. Crawford of Birmingham, one of the Sov. Camp Auditors, W. O. W. will be present with Albany camp 487 W. O. W. on Tuesday evening, Jan. 6, 1920. All Woodmen who are interested in the new laws are cordially invited to be present at 7:30 p. m. in Hardage Bros. Hall. S. R. GARRISON, Clerk.
—Advertisement.

NOTICE

Bids will be received up to Saturday, January 10, for repainting interior of the Albany textile mill. We will furnish the paint. Call at the office for further information.

ERNEST WRIGHT,
Superintendent.

As Influenza

is an exaggerated form of Grip. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets) should be taken in larger doses than is prescribed for ordinary Grip. A good plan is not to wait until you are sick, but PREVENT IT by taking LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets in time.

Statements of Condition of THE TENNESSEE VALLEY BANK

November 17, 1919

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts	Capital Stock
Demand Loans	Surplus and Profits
Bonds and Stocks	Reserve for Depreciation
Overdrafts	Bills Payable
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FARMERS: You are invited to attend this Demonstration and be convinced that you can solve your Labor Problem with Mechanical Power.

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Doctors Now Prescribe Calotabs, the Purified Calomel Tablets That Are Nauseless, Safe and Sure.

Doctors are warning the public that simple colds and mild cases of influenza often lead to pneumonia and other serious complications. They say that every cold should receive immediate attention and that the first step in the treatment is to make sure that the liver is active. For this purpose Calotabs, the perfected, nausealess calomel tablets are the surest, best and most agreeable laxative.

One Calotab at bed time with a swallow of water—that's all, no salts, no nausea, and no upsetting of the digestion and appetite. Next morning your cold has vanished, your liver is active, your system is purified and refreshed and you are feeling fine with a hearty appetite for breakfast. Eat what you please, no danger.

For your protection, Calotabs are sold only in original sealed packages, price thirty-five cents. All druggists recommend and guarantee Calotabs. Authorized to sell at the price if you are not delighted with them.—Advertisement.

ENJOYS HIS 3 MEALS A DAY

Mr. Wooten Thinks Much of ZIRON, Because It Made Him His Old Self Again.

Sick people do not get much out of life. In order to enjoy your meals, to do your work well, you must be strong and healthy.

Pale, weak, nervous people frequently need iron to enrich their blood and to restore vitality to their system, and a good way to supply the iron is to follow the example of Mr. Clayton Wooten, of Scotland, Ga., who used Ziron Iron Tonic and has this to say about it:

"I have taken Ziron according to directions and I can truthfully say that it is a fine tonic. It has done me all the good. Since I began taking it, I have gained eight pounds in weight and enjoy eating three meals a day. I shall do all I can to recommend Ziron."

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Your Blood Needs ZIRON

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Come Sunday and Bring Others

REPORT FOR SUNDAY, JAN. 4, 1920

SCHOOL	Enrolled	Pres.	%
Baptist, First, Decatur	177	107	.605
Baptist, Central, Albany	215	129	.600
Baptist, First, Albany	185	99	.535
Baptist, South, Albany	219	108	.493
Christian, First, Albany	150	78	.520
Church of Christ, Albany			
Episcopal, St. John, Albany			
Lutheran, Evangelical, Albany	236	101	.370
Methodist, First, Decatur	204	182	.500
Methodist, Central, Albany	118	88	.745
Methodist Ninth Street, Albany	90	48	.533
Presbyterian, First, Decatur	125	74	.584
Presbyterian, Westminster, Albany	135	72	.530
Presbyterian, West Side, Albany	107	53	.495
Presbyterian, Willoughby, Albany	182	123	.660
Austinville Methodist			

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Much is Promised
By the New Year

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this section at the present time, and will continue so. As an engineering feat it is one of the greatest and most stupendous enterprises of modern times. In many ways, indeed, the hydro-electric power development at Muscle Shoals is highly picturesque and withal a marvelous scientific study.

It has been said that of all the technical works of men, that signal the march of civilization, hydro-electric development is the most romantic figure. Indeed, it may be stated that it is at once the pioneer of industry and its most finished achievement. It goes into the wilderness primeval with all the refinements of the sheltered laboratory, and always it must break its own trail—rough hew its aggressive way against all obstacles an unfriendly nature has devised.

But because nature broke her rule for once, and played engineer herself in the laying out of an ideal site for such a project, the complete story when finally written of the Muscle Shoals hydro-electric development should prove a rare treat.

Muscle Shoals is drawing the attention of the composite eye of the world. Marvelous and picturesque, Muscle Shoals is a vast store of scientific study, thrilling and exceptionally interesting. And it belongs to Alabama, the South and the United States.

ROBUST CHILDREN

A child should not look pale, thin or worn. Such condition denotes malnutrition. To keep up growth and robustness a child needs a plenteous diet of food rich in vitamins.

SCOTT'S EMULSION

abundant in growth-promoting properties, is an ideal supplemental food that could well be a part of the diet of every growing child.

Children always do well on Scott's Emulsion.

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IMAGINATION

By ALICE KNIGHT.

Ned Barnes and his classmates were holding an indignation meeting at which Ned seemed to have by far the greatest grievance. They had just left their English classroom where the professor had startled them by announcing the fact that they must write a short story for the next day.

"He was no right to do it," said Ned. "This is a course in critical writing and not narration."

"You're right, old chap," said his friend Dick, "and it sure is harder to write a love story than to toss off a criticism, but I suppose we'll have to do it."

"Thank goodness, he didn't specify it had to be a love story."

"No, but that's about the easiest, unless you write a thrilling adventure story."

"Well, it's all right to write about adventures if you ever had any. But I'm not going to write a lot of ridiculous lies. I couldn't do it anyway, I tell you. Everybody always said I had no more imagination than a cat."

The next morning in the English class, instead of seeing a frowning and gloomy Ned Barnes, his friends saw a beaming countenance which still remained beaming when the professor said "We will begin by reading Barnes' story. And to an eagerly interested audience he read the following:

"The train from New Hampshire has just drawn into Boston as it has a thousand times before. But today it is all different for there is one little passenger who has never seen Boston, or indeed any other city. Her expression of eager curiosity and childish delight attracts us at once. To look at her sweet and innocent face, one would never suspect that she was deceiving her poor old aunt in the belief that she was spending the day with a friend in the next town in order that she might slip away to the magic city of Boston for a few hours."

Just a few short hours, that was the only cloud on her horizon; just a few short hours, but she dared not stay longer. But perhaps that would be long enough, and she clutched her little hand still more closely over something that she had held in the palm of her hand ever since she left home. We would love to see what it is, but it is evidently very precious, for she is not willing to let go for a minute. We will follow her through the station and listen to her timid request for information. The mysteries of the elevated and subway seem to be unfathomable, she decides to walk, and 15 minutes later she is standing before a millinery window wide-eyed and breathless. Surely she must be dreaming. Such wonderful creations never existed outside of Fairyland. One in particular took her fancy. It was large and droopy and fluffy, with the dearest little forget-me-nots. Did I tell you her eyes were as blue as the heavens above and her cheeks as pink as the roses in an old New England garden. Surely it would be becoming."

With a little flutter of her heart and a tighter clasp of her little hand on her imprisoned secret, she entered the shop.

If Boston was new to her, certainly she was new to Boston. Her fresh beauty and simplicity, aroused the faded interests of even the shop girls and they vied with each other in waiting on her. First she tried on the forget-me-not hat in the window. It was all that her heart craved for, but true to the eternal feminine, she must try on every other hat she saw—just to make sure. Finally, after glancing over all the wonders she decided on her first choice. When it was presented to her in a box so big she could scarcely carry it, she thanked the clerk for her kindness and started to go away.

"Wait a minute, my dear. You have not paid for it yet."

"Paid for it? Oh, I thought—A look of embarrassment and then a deep flush spread over her face. "Oh, I must be in the wrong store."

Slowly, almost regretfully, she opened her hand and gave the clerk the crumpled paper she had carried for hours in her hand. "Will you tell me where that store is, please?"

The clerk, at first amused, and just as quickly ashamed of her amusement, read their own last Sunday's advertisement.

HATS GIVEN AWAY.

Bewilderingly beautiful. Charmingly simple. Daringly dashing. Delightfully demure. All kinds to suit all tastes.

In a daze the girl listened to the clerk's gentle and sympathetic explanation of the wicked city's exasperation, but it is doubtful if she understood anything except that she had lost her hat. Completely disillusioned, she left the shop. Two big tears gathered in her eyes and blurred everything. She did not even see the approaching

Just as the story is reaching the interesting part, the professor is called away for a few minutes. A storm of exclamations greet Ned, such as "Oh, no. You wouldn't write a love story."

"Well, my description didn't do her justice, and neither does this." And he drew a snapshot shyly from his pocket. "But you'll all have a chance to judge for yourself, for if old Aunt Mable or Henshah, or whatever her name is, will give her consent she will be at our dance next week." (Copyright, 1919, McClure Newspaper Syndicate.)

Good Man for That.

Thomas Jefferson, according to William M. Cress, one of his biographers, was devoid of a sense of humor. Says the latter: "He rarely told a story and seldom enjoyed one, and witticisms were wasted in his presence."

LAW AS TO COLOR BLINDNESS

Does Not Mean Loss of Sight, According to Ruling Made by Georgia Superior Court.

Color blindness does not mean total loss of sight in the meaning of the law. It was held recently by Judge John T. Pendleton in the motion division of Superior court at Atlanta, Ga.

A legal point raised only once before in the United States, so far as is shown by court records. This was in Nebraska, where both the lower court and the State Supreme court held that color blindness means total blindness.

The question was raised in a suit brought by George L. Fallin, who was a locomotive engineer for the Atlanta Joint Terminals, against the Locomotive Engineer Mutual Insurance and Accident association, a branch of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Engineer Fallin, it was set out, became color blind while engaged in his line of duty and was discharged from his position. He then applied to the engineers' association for his insurance—\$1,500—for the loss of his eyesight, as stipulated in the policy. The association, however, declined to pay the amount on the ground that color blindness did not come within the terms of the policy concerning blindness. Fallin then brought suit in the courts through his counsel, City Attorney James L. Mayson.

Chinaman and His Queue.

On April 16, at what was once the village of Fampoux, I met a Chinese who was trying to grow a queue. It was only about a foot long and did not improve his appearance any. That day while out in the fields salvaging ammunition, his nose told him he was in the vicinity of some unsuccessfully buried foreigners. He was hardened by this time to all sorts of disagreeable things, but the incident went to the back of his head and only served to strengthen his belief that he should grow a queue. Foreigners wear their hair cut short. He had been in France going on two years and had long since concluded that he did not want to imitate them. Hence the queue.—World's Work.

Dantzig Rich in Memories.

The old fortress of Dantzig is rich in Napoleonic lore. It was here that the man of destiny failed to heed the intimations of a grand council of his marshals—Murat, Ney and the rest—that his star had passed perihelion; it was here that he upbraided them for having grown soft in prosperity, and for opposing the invasion of Russia; and it was from Dantzig that his legions "jumped off" for the ill-fated Moscow campaign.

In a later day Dantzig was the background and base for the northern shear of Mackensen's gray-green pinners that took Warsaw.

The Gridiron.

"But you have no field of honor in this country," said the French visitor.

"Oh, yes, we have," replied the American citizen.

"Out?"

"Out, out. We have a field of honor with two goal posts at each end, and our husky young Americans take a delight in plowing it with their noses."—Birmingham Post-Herald.

Her View.

Edith—I hear that Helen is to marry a rich man fifty years of age.

Agnes—How foolish! He is twenty-five years too old and twenty-five years too young.—Boston Transcript.

Isn't It the Truth?

When a woman asks you to be complimentary, just the same.—Boston Transcript.

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SOCIETY NEWS

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CLUB CALENDAR

Monday
Missionary Society Central M. E. church—Parsonage.
Mission Society First M. E. church.
Missionary Society First Baptist church, Decatur.
Missionary Society Westminster—Mrs. J. T. Rainey.
Christian Woman's Union—St. John's Guild.
Tuesday
Progressive Culture club—Mrs. J. H. Calvin.
Tuesday Afternoon Bridge club—Tuesday Night Bridge club—Miss Mary Penick.
Wednesday
Married Ladies Bridge club—Music Study club—Benevolent Society—Morgan County National Bank.
Vine Street Bridge club—Berean club—Mrs. N. A. Brown.
Thursday
Auction Bridge club—Friday
Silk Stocking club—Mrs. T. M. Jones Jr.

STEPHENSON HOST

The office force and salesmen of the Decatur Cornice and Roofing company were guests of R. L. Stephenson, one of the popular salesmen, at a theatre party at the Masonic Saturday night, enjoying "Pallor, Bedroom and Bath."

Mrs. T. A. Bowles is leaving this week for Florida for a stay of several weeks.

Mrs. R. M. McGlathery has been called to Hartselle by the severe illness of her mother, Mrs. Corsbie.

HOUSE PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shelton, with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Sheppard, entertained at a house party for the week end. The family dining occurred at the residence of Mrs. W. R. Shelton on Sunday, when at a table well appointed and centered by a vase of carnations, above the vase, of which as tucked mystery bags, tied with bows of green and red, from which extended strings to each place, where cards were laid for: Dr. and Mrs. J. Palmer Sheppard of Little Rock, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. J. Albert Sheppard of Jarksdale, Miss., Mr. and Mrs. Jno. W. Sheppard of Helena, Ark., Dr. and Mrs. W. K. Shadden, of Columbia, Tenn., Lieut. and Mrs. T. B. Henley of Bremerton, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Sheppard of Albany, Dr. J. E. Sheppard, of Ft. Worth, Texas, Ted Sheppard of Columbia, Tenn., Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Shelton and son Barrett Shelton, their mother Mrs. W. C. Sheppard of Columbia, in a beautiful gown of lavender satin and georgette, presided. For the first time in some years the family were gathered together and was an occasion that will long live in the memory of the participants.

MIZPAH CHAPTER

O. E. S. NO. 1.
Mizpah Chapter No. 19 O. E. S. will meet at the Masonic hall, Tuesday evening at 7:30.
(Signed) Ruby Jones, Secty.

PROGRESSIVE CULTURE CLUB

Mrs. J. H. Calvin will be hostess to the Progressive Culture club Tuesday afternoon.

The Official club page of the A. F. W. C. of Sunday, Jan. 4, 1920 contained the announcement of the appointments for 1920, the standing committees, special committees, district sub-committees and also the photographs of the two highest officials, Mrs. Joseph Brevard Jones, the new President of the Federation, and Mrs. Lewis A. Neill, of Albany, State Recording Secretary, and reading matter of great interest, showing that the executive board of the A. F. W. C. was wise in the reappointment of Mrs. Dora C. Fell as the editor of the club page. Her work for the past two years has guided the organization past many rough places during the awful war period, when at times it seemed impossible for clubs to live.

DAVIS-FREEMAN

Miss Makala Freeman and Mr. James S. Davis were married at the First Methodist parsonage at Birmingham on Friday, Rev. J. W. Johnson officiating. Following the ceremony they were entertained at dinner at the Tutwiler Hotel.

Mrs. H. B. Beard and daughter, Marjorie, returned from Nashville Saturday.

Miss Louise Moore, of Dillon, S. C., is the guest of Mrs. Frank Lide.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bixby en route south are guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Beard.

The pupils of Miss Rebecca Leaningham placed a substantial check in the hands of the Salvation Army to swell the Christmas fund.

Mrs. W. K. Shadden returned to Columbia this afternoon.

Misses Rowena Baker, Lucille Phinix, Lucille Patterson, Marie McGlawn and Imogene Winton returned today to Montgomery where they are attending the Woman's college.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Campbell have returned after a visit to relatives in Prospect, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wildes have purchased a residence on Vine street, and will make this their permanent home.

Miss Eleanor Hudgins of Memphis, enroute to Florida is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. L. Price.

PERSONAL

Jackson Calvin, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Calvin, returned to the Webb school at Bell Buckle, Tenn., today.

J. M. Todd left yesterday for Memphis after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Todd.

Lewis Hardage left for Louisiana, having visited his mother, Mrs. M. L. Hardage, during the holidays.

Orrie Davis has returned to Auburn having spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davis.

CENTRAL LABOR UNION MEET 6:30 TONIGHT

Regular meeting of the Central Labor Union will be held tonight at 6:30 at Hardage Hall.

Funeral Service be Held Wednesday

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock from the Southside Baptist church for J. T. Vickers. The services were postponed to enable a son to reach here from Florida.

The pallbearers will be: Active: Blake Thompson, J. M. Watson, E. H. Hill, C. L. Hammond, Frank Lewis, Sam Brown.

Honorary: J. E. Howell, J. J. Waddell, Frank Lewis, Tom Williams, Fred Thompson, Ed Aycock.

Bankers' Dream Now is Realized

One of the dreams of the Tennessee Valley bank has been realized.

At a meeting here last summer of all of the branch bank managers and officials of the institution a resolution was reached to bend every effort toward getting \$5,000,000 in deposits. A statement published today, of the condition of the bank at the close of business December 31, showed the goal had been exceeded by \$182,600 and deposits totaled \$5,182,600.

Rudeness Unpardonable.

A man has no more right to say an uncivil thing than to act one; no more right to say a rude thing to another than to knock him down.—Johnson.

ALL BOWED BEFORE PATTI

Famous Cantatrice Adored as Probably No Other Singer of Any Generation Has Been.

The death of Patti, the adored diva of our grandparents, would have been a calamity if it had taken place in their time. She was not only an exquisite singer, but a woman unique for beauty, charm and loveliness. I knew her well. And how interesting it was to hear her talk of her youth. She vowed that she sang as the birds sing, from babyhood. An acquaintance tells me that he was at Ascot races on the day of Patti's debut, and came to hear her, and how, when, tiny, black-eyed and sweet, she came onto the stage at Covent Garden, not a hand was raised to greet her. But she sang. "And then it was as if the house had been of straw and had caught fire. People went mad over her."

Later Patti went to St. Petersburg. They strewed the stage with roses and camellias for her to walk on, and gave her diamonds and pearls in caskets. I remember her showing me a little Russian ring. It was a stave of gold, and on it were the notes in diamonds. In, do, re—"L'Adoree." A charming idea.

Not enough has been said of Patti's warm heart. She never forgot an old friend, and never neglected one; even when poor William Ganz was past playing accompaniments the diva let him play to her own despite. Ganz wore a wig—wigs, in fact—to deceive his best friends—wigs which he changed from week to week to suggest that his hair was growing. Patti knew all about it, and with "Maitre, your hair wants cutting," would send him off to the barber—the wig cabinet—for the shortest-haired one. And the round of deception would begin again.—London Mail.



Miss Myra Brown, prize winner as America's most beautiful actress and movie queen in "Cheer Up Mabel," Masonic Theatre tonight.

Head Employed by the S. S. Forces

T. L. Head, a well-known Baptist Sunday School worker and educational leader has been employed by the Alabama Sunday School Association as Business Department Superintendent. He will be associated with General Superintendent Leon C. Palmer and work under his general direction. The position, it is stated, carries with it the general supervision of the

office work and the supervision of the County and District organizations throughout the State. His field will cover the State and include all denominations.

Must Be Discreet.

Of course every man ought to be liberal with his wife, but there is no sense in giving her enough money to hire a divorce lawyer.

AUTOMOBILE LAUNDRY
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MASONIC THEATRE ONE TUE. 6 NIGHT ONLY JAN. 6

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"Greater New York Minstrels"

ALL WHITE ALL NEW
THE LIVELIEST MINSTREL SHOW ON THE ROAD

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A Magnificent First Part Array
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Big Added Special Feature
De Vore and Gaddis

Sweetest Singers

An Olio of Surprise

Greatest Dancers

Watch for the Big Street Parade and OPEN AIR CONCERT

Seats Now on Sale, Curtain 8:40 p. m.

PRICES: MAIN FLOOR \$1.00. Balcony 50, 75, \$1.00.

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PRINCESS THEATRE —Albany, Alabama—

—COMING TUESDAY—

DOROTHY
DALTON

—in—

'L'Apache'

A TALE OF GAY
PAREE.

A strange and powerful
drama of
twisted lives.



THOMAS H. INCE
DOROTHY DALTON
"L'APACHE"
St. Francis Branch Picture

Come and See

"GRAVITYO" THE DAREDEVIL
Tuesday and Wednesday

Free Attraction Tonight 7 O'clock

The Great Gravityo, chained to a chair, in the middle of Second Avenue, will face a speeding automobile fifty feet away and will make his escape—MAYBE.

Free Attraction Tuesday—2 P. M.

Gravityo will balance himself upon the two back legs of a kitchen chair on the very edge of the roof of the Princess Theatre.

Matinee.....10 and 20c

Night.....10, 20 and 30c

Children, under 12, always.....10c

ONLY ONE THING BREAKS MY COLD!

"That's Dr. King's New Discovery for fifty years a cold-breaker"

NOTHING but sustained quality and unflinching effectiveness can arouse such enthusiasm. Nothing but sure relief from stubborn colds and onrushing new ones, grippe, throat-irritation, coughs, and croup could have made Dr. King's New Discovery the nationally popular and standard remedy it is today. Fifty years old and always reliable. Good for the whole family. A bottle in the medicine cabinet means a short-lived cold or cough, 50c. and \$1.20. All druggists.

Regular Bowels Is Health

Bowels that move spasmodically, free one day and stubborn the next—should be healthfully regulated by Dr. King's New Life Pills. In this way you keep the impurities of waste matter from circulating through the system by cleansing the bowels thoroughly and promoting the proper flow of bile.

Mild, comfortable, yet always reliable, Dr. King's New Life Pills work with precision without the constipation results of violent purgatives. 25c. as usual at all druggists.

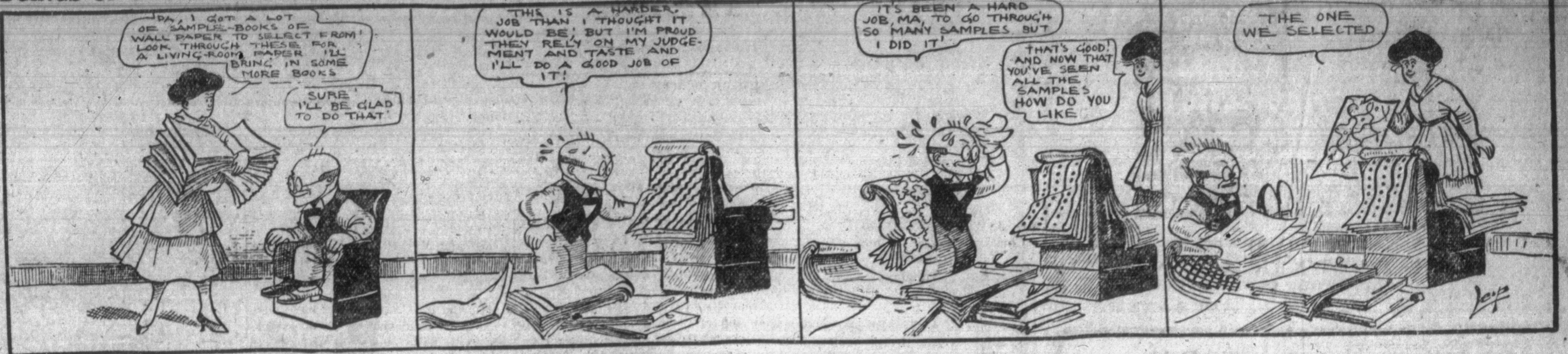
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FRANK P. LIDE

The Strong Withstand The Winter Cold Better Than The Weak

Old people who are feeble and younger people who are weak, will be strengthened and enabled to go through the cold weather by taking GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, which is simply IRON and QUININE suspended in syrup. So pleasant even children like it. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 60c.

DOINGS OF THE VAN LOONS



New Kind of Vamp Revealed in Play

When is a vamp not a vamp? The answer was found Saturday night in "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," a farce comedy at the Masonic. Reggie Irving, played by Harlan Briggs, was a made-to-order vamp of an entirely new kind. He was the harmless type, vamping, with the aid of his friends, to maintain the interest of his wife, played by Nathalie Dugan, who showed a feminine indiosyncrasy to desire to possess what other women wanted and could not get.

Nobody but his wife really wanted Reggie, but with the aid of a press agent in the person of Polly Hathaway, played by Mary Kiscoyence, a reporter for a scandal sheet, and an advisor par excellence, Geoffrey Haywood, played by Foster Williams, the wife was kept under the impression

that Reggie really was a lady killer of the most advanced type. Reggie's innocence and that of a friend's wife, Nita, Leslie, played by Elsie Southern, landed him in Haywood's "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath" and in the midst of difficulties Reggie found it hard to get out of Nita's husband, like most husbands, probed no deeper than the surface and what he found on the surface was sufficient to cause him to hunt his gun.

The cast was excellent and the laughs many, but after all, the story probably contains a moral; viz; if you are going to vamp, be sure you have learned by experience how to get out of your troubles, after you have gotten in! Reggie didn't and thereby hung the tale.

Avoid the "Know-It-All"

A well-educated man is always ready to admit that there are a lot of things he doesn't know. It's usually the know-nothing who is a know-it-all.

Armless Painters Win Fame.

Some years ago in London I saw fine water-color landscapes by an artist who had lost both arms, writes a reader to the Manchester (Eng.) Guardian. His name, if I remember rightly, was Bertram Miles, and he held his brush (a rather long one) between his teeth with painting.

And at the Edinburgh School of Art some twelve years ago or more there was a student who also was armless, though he held his crayon or pencil with his toes.

Then there was the case of Daniel Vierge, the Spaniard. At one time Vierge was a facile but not greatly distinguished magazine illustrator, and his reputation was confined to his own country. But becoming paralyzed in his right side and losing the entire use of his right arm he learned to use his left, developed a new style influenced by the slower execution, and gained an international reputation as a pen and ink draughtsman.

CROSS OF CHRIST PASTOR'S SUBJECT SUNDAY MORNING

Communion day services were held yesterday morning at the Ninth Street M. E. Church immediately following the sermon. The pastor, Rev. J. W. Curl, preached the sermon, which was on the subject, "The Cross of Christ," from the text found in Galatians 6:14: "But God forbid that I should glory save in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ."

"It is very natural for one to glory over something he possesses," began the preacher. There are those who glory in their wealth accumulations. Others value their great and good names. Others still, glory in the influence they can exert over others. Others rightly greatly reverence and feel a pride in their ancestors. St. Paul did not seem to have his prime interest in these things. He told us that the cross of Christ was his glory.

"I believe it is well for us to take an honest pride in wealth honestly accumulated. We should value a great and good name and revere the memory of noble ancestry, and take a just pride in intellectual accomplishments. But with Paul, we should glory first of all in Jesus Christ and Him crucified. There are those who glory in things they have suffered for righteousness sake, and justly so. Others are rightfully proud of the service they seek to render humanity, but nothing should be gloried in like the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ. The heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament showeth His handiwork, saith the Psalmist, but the greatest glory of God, rests on the fact that He was willing to give His Own Son, that He might be crucified for our sins. With my first sermon to my first congregation, my first concern was to glorify my Savior, in that He was willing to taste death for me. I wish we would realize that Jesus, was as ready to give all for just you, as He was to be crucified for the whole world.

"When you realize that His love for you is personal, and that He was ready and glad to die for just one person as well as the many, you cannot help but have a love for Him, that will transform your life.

"The dependent persons who are going through life with broken hearts; if they are willing to come into a realization of what Christ's love means, both to them individually, and the world at large, will find something worthwhile to live for and Christ's never failing power will keep them cheered up."

The speaker said that the precepts of the ten commandments, were evidence of the concern of God, for the good of the race, and that our inward monitor, called and conscience, was a gift of God to advise us of how we might escape injury, but that these and other means of grace, were not comparable to "The Cross of Christ."

Among other announcements, Rev. Curl stated that the announced men's meeting for this afternoon at 2 o'clock was called off on account of the funeral services for J. K. Vickers.

Script or Print Writing?

There is a movement in England to abolish script writing and replace it by print writing. The characters used in the proposed system are the ordinary printed letters known as the Roman block letters with the exception of "a" and "g," which are simplified into their script forms. Print characters were used centuries ago by monks before script writing became the fashion. Advocates of the proposed reform claim that it has many advantages over ordinary handwriting, particularly in that the child learns much more quickly. Many British educational authorities favor print writing and it is taught in numerous British schools. There is no waste of time on the innumerable joinings of letters, and superfluous loops and flourishes are abolished. At least one big London firm has adopted the system.

Optimistic Thought.

Titles may be purchased, but virtue is the only coin that makes the bargain valid.

Anyway what does Father know about wallpaper

MEANT TO HOUSE NAPOLEON

Historic New Orleans Building, Long the Mecca of Governors of the State, is for Sale.

The Gem cafe, famous in New Orleans history as the rendezvous where the rescue of Napoleon from Saint Helena was plotted, where the first Mardi Gras parade was planned, where the state legislature met and worked out a campaign against the carpet-bag rule, where the exclusive Pickwick club was formed and where governors of Louisiana for years have held their discussions over coffee cups and wine glasses, is for sale.

Originally the home of a Spanish nobleman, the landmark of Rue Royal, which was a coffee house just across Rue Royal in the days when the "Senate," America's Monte Carlo, was running, is said to antedate the old "Abolition house," which has been a mecca for New Orleans tourists. In late years despite the development of modern restaurants, the Gem cafe has been the political eating house of leaders in state affairs and has been visited by every governor since Louisiana has been a state.

Pale Children Need Gude's Pepto-Mangan

Unnatural for Children to be Pale and Thin—Paleness is Sign of Thin, Watery Blood.

Pepto-Mangan Makes Red Blood

Prepared in Liquid and Tablet Form—Both Possess Identical Medicinal Qualities

It is necessary for boys and girls to laugh, romp, play, and enjoy themselves, for it is at that stage of life that the foundation is laid for future health.

Prompt attention should be given to the child who seldom laughs, whose physical condition prevents playing like the other children, whose appetite is poor, and who tires easily.

If the lassitude is due to poor blood, which is often the case, a simple, safe, and pleasant remedy is within easy reach. Gude's Pepto-Mangan is just the tonic for pale, thin children. Gude's Pepto-Mangan contains the very ingredients that increase and enrich the blood, enabling it to supply the entire body with the sorely needed vigor, strength and vitality that make happy, romping children.

For the convenience of the public Pepto-Mangan is prepared in tablet as well as liquid form. Both forms possess exactly the same medicinal properties.

When you ask the druggist for Pepto-Mangan, look for the name "Gude's" on the package. If it is not there it is not Pepto-Mangan.—Advertisement.

Sure Relief



RE-NEWED TIRES FOR THE NEW YEAR

One worth-while resolution would be to cut your tire bills by getting full mileage from your half-worn casings. No need to ride the last half of a tire down with constant fear of a blow-out. Let us put in a new section that will insure safe riding, down to the last fabric.

FRANK P. LIDE
INSTANT SERVICE

COAL

Delivered Anywhere in the Cities in ton lots.
LYLE-TAYLOR GRAIN CO.
Phones 194 and 217 Decatur



May Your New Year be HAPPY PROSPEROUS

In gratitude for your patronage and friendship, for the satisfactory growth which we have enjoyed, our best wishes for the New Year go out to you.

As a Bank and your friend we promise you during the coming year the most accommodating Banking Service in our power to render.

We hope to co-operate with you to make this New Year the best we, mutually, have ever enjoyed.

The Morgan County National Bank
F. A. Bloodworth, Cashier

We take care of the men and let the men we take care of—take care of the women.



How About a Good Shoe for \$8.75

After-Inventory Sale of Men's Fine Underwear

\$3.50 SUITS OF UNDERWEAR \$1.89

(Shirts and Drawers)

Over 500 garments in this lot, all sizes, ecru and white, a famous make and is well known to every one, have actually been selling at \$3.50 per suit, on sale, price per suit (shirts and drawers)\$1.89

\$4.50 SUITS OF UNDERWEAR \$2.50

(Shirts and Drawers)

Extra heavy rib, without fleece, made on spring needle machines, ecru and white. Special per suit (Shirts and Drawers) \$2.50

Our Fine and Heavy Wool Underwear is Also Included

\$6.00 SUITS (Shirts and Drawers) \$4.50

Absolutely every thread Wool, extra heavy white and ecru all sizes. Made by Wilson Bros, recognized as good as the best, actually \$6.00 values, special per suit (shirts and drawers)\$4.50

\$12.50 MEN'S SHOES \$8.75

Cordovan only, all sizes, English lasts, Bal and Blucher every pair guaranteed, always sold at \$12.50, special this week at\$8.75

BOY'S SHOES (Black Only) \$2.75

(Lace and Button) (4 to 5½) All leather (Union Made), quality guaranteed, a special inducement for trade builder, we offer them at\$2.75

Union Aalls for Every Member of the Family

A complete line of this reliable garment, fits correctly, no buckles or straps, not bundle-some, but freedom and ease of movement that can not be given by any other garment. Ask to see them, moderately priced. Also a full line of Big 3 Ooveralls and Jumpers.



DEATH OF CRIQUI, FRENCH DANCER, IS VERY TRAGIC

By NEWTON C. PARKE,
International News Service Staff
Correspondent.

PARIS, Jan. 3.—The death under tragic circumstances of Criqui, once a well known Paris actress, has crystallized public attention on the drug evil, with the result that the police are now making wholesale arrests of vendors of cocaine, morphine and heroin.

Six years ago Criqui arrived in Paris from a provincial town, an orphan seeking work. She obtained employment as a chorus girl, but advanced so rapidly that in less than two years she was one of the stars of the Paris secret halls. Then she began to lose her sprightliness and finally disappeared from the stage altogether. The theatrical people downtown heard that she was proprietress of a rendezvous in Montmartre for gamblers who played only for heavy stakes and that she was making fortune. Once or twice a month she shined alone at one of the big restaurants near the Opera and always departed alone in a big limousine.

A few nights ago Criqui entered the famous Bal Tabarin dancing palace in Montmartre in the arm of a slender swarthy youth, evidently of Spanish extraction. They ordered a bottle of wine and began dancing. In the midst of a wild fox trot and with the eyes of half the spectators on her, Criqui suddenly fell to the floor in a swoon. She was carried to the dressing room but died without regaining consciousness.

The police investigation showed that Criqui's death had been caused by an overdose of morphine and the another show girl, known on the stage as "Mitzi," had given it to her. "Mitzi" was first held on a homicide charge, but finding that she could not be convicted the police laid a net charge of trafficking in drugs.

The following night raids were made all over the city. In one big restaurant in the heart of Paris a captain of waiters and several waiters working under him were arrested as drug vendors. It was proven that the had made large sums of money selling cocaine, principally to women patrons. Several other raids in the Montmartre district brought into court owners of drug stores and tobacco shops. One book dealer who concealed cocaine inside the covers of a certain book whose name was supposed to be known only to drug users who were "all right" was arrested and heavily fined.

Better Late Than Never.

The strongest wedding I ever saw was that of an aged aunt, who in her youth had had a suitor who went off to make his fortune and never returned until, old and infirm, but wealthy, he returned to claim his old sweetheart, who was so feeble she had to remain in a wheel chair during the ceremony. —Chicago Tribune.

L. & N. MAN SAYS "DRECO HAS DONE THE WORK FOR ME"

Mobile citizen now has more energy, vim and vigor. Relieved of stomach trouble, sluggish liver, constipation and head catarrh.

When one complains of indigestion, dyspepsia, gas on the stomach, bad breath, bad taste in the mouth, bloating, palpitation of the heart or who have yellow, blotched and pimply skins; who are afflicted with dizziness, spots before the eyes, depressed in spirits, dull, timid, or who complain of headaches, pains in the back or limbs, who are nervous or irritable, can rely on it that they will get immediate relief in the use of the new herbal remedy Dreco, which is being so highly praised by prominent persons in this state.

"For years I have had a sluggish liver; spots danced before my eyes; I had dizzy spells and headaches; was constipated and had pains in my back just over my kidneys. I have taken several bottles of Dreco, and in addition to being entirely relieved of the mentioned troubles I have gained in weight and feel better than in years. My nerves are steady; I sleep well and never have that tired sluggish feeling. Dreco did the work for me," says Mr. H. L. Skatts, the popular L. & N. man who resides at 202 South Royal Street, Mobile, Ala.

Dreco is made from the juices of many herbal plants which act on the vital organs in a most pleasing manner and restores their full healthy action.

All progressive druggists now sell and it is highly recommended by Albany Drug Co., and Hilda Drug Co.—Advertisement.

Winning a Wife

By RALPH HAMILTON

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When Morton Lunt made up his mind to find a wife and start a home, he began at the latter feature first. He was a man who prided himself on system in all his actions and, he hoped, on sense.

"I've saved up enough to start in right," he told a close friend, "and the day I marry I shall have my own house ready to go into and provided in a general way so far ahead that the high cost of living will mean nothing to me."

Morton had his preference as to a wife. If there was one young lady he most coveted it was Dorothy Norton, but he did not tell her so.

His "system" forbade venturing "a rash break" as he termed it, until he was able to make a suitable presentment of his home and its accessories. In a quiet, almost secret way Morton purchased a house at the edge of the town with a lot ample for a garden and limited minor farming, and ordered it painted and decorated. He had a garage built, a chicken house, a cow stable and a pig pen. There should be plenty of eggs, butter and milk, he resolved, and each fall a porker to cut up and salt down for the winter's meat supply. He already owned an automobile. Little by little crated furniture and other household belongings began to arrive, and finally about everything necessary for a modern model house was stored in the vacant rooms.

"I'm all ready," he soliloquized with satisfaction, and wended his way to the home of Dorothy. He joined her in the garden, indulged in no circumlocution, told her frankly that he loved her, asked her to become his wife and then fairly gasped, for Dorothy was overcome. She acted like a person half frightened to death.

"Oh, Mr. Lunt," she breathed bewilderingly, "I never expected this, and indeed, indeed I must not stay with you another minute! I promised mother I would never fall in love with anybody without first telling her, and here I've gone and done it—I mean you have honored me with a proposal. Then, too, father is away and I would have to find out what he thinks about it, and there are our chickens over in our neighbor's yard! Oh! please give me time to think—to arrange, I mean, to tell the folks," and blushing like a peony and in a state of fluttering embarrassment and confusion Dorothy ran after the truant fowls.

Morton passed several days after that in great anxiety. At the first he felt sure that Dorothy would meet him or write him, but she seemed to keep purposely out of his way and not a line did he receive. With a sore heart he finally made up his mind that he had frightened away a good friend in seeking an unwilling bride. He would visit his desolated home, feeling as though he was among the ruins of some treasured palace. Bit by bit, however, his philosophy came to his rescue. The fruits of all of his planning must not go for naught. There was many a girl in the world worth seeking, and doubtless glad to become mistress of a comfortable home. Morton placed an advertisement in a city newspaper stating that "M. L., lock box 27, Rushville," wished to hear from matrimonially inclined young ladies who could appreciate a life partner with a kindly disposition and the inclination to make a helpmeet happy.

During a whole month Morton had not met Dorothy to speak to her and had seen her only at a distance. One afternoon at the beginning of the fifth week of his exile, he went down to the post office to find his lock box chock full of replies to his advertisement. Not only that, but a red card requested him to present the same for overflow mail addressed to M. L. There were letters and letters in faintly scented envelopes of all shades and sizes. He crammed his pockets full of them and decided to seek the seclusion of the woods lining the river and have an uninterrupted opportunity of studying their contents. He had almost reached a shady covert in view when a turn in the path brought him face to face with Dorothy!

There was a sweet smile of welcome on her bonny face, there was a magnetism in her innocent eyes that thrilled him. Artlessly, with palpable eagerness she came nearer to him.

"Oh! Mr. Lunt," she said, "I was hoping to see you. I had to wait till father came home from his trip. He arrived last night and I asked him if I could—that is would he—"

"Let you marry me," propounded Morton anxiously.

"Yes, Mr. Lunt, and he and mother both like you."

"And about yourself, Dorothy, dear?"

"Oh, I could have told you that long ago!" and she placed her hand in his own and looked up trustfully into his face.

Morton Lunt's frenzied impulse was to kiss her but first he drew forth all the "M. L." letters. He took time to tie them into his handkerchief weighted with a stone.

He gave the group of amorous epistles a great fling into the river. Then he kissed Dorothy.

Coming and Going.

An electric towboat on a shallow French canal has propellers on both ends and is driven either by storage batteries or power obtained from an overhead wire.

January
Clearance
and
White Sale
—at—
Garnett's
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January Clearance Sale and White Sale

After Inventory—Clean Sweep January Clearance and White Sale of much importance, at savings that soon mount way up. On a careful comparison you will find our values far greater than are offered elsewhere. CLEARANCE SALES AT GARNETT'S ARE ALWAYS A MEMORABLE OCCASION

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THE SECRET IS IN BUYING—MERCHANDISE
BOUGHT RIGHT IS HALF SOLD

33 Cents Per Yd.

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Hope Domestic

22 cents per yard

for best grade Outing,
standard weight.

69c for Men's

Heavy Ribbed Shirts
and Drawers

15c for choice of one
lot of Ladies' and
Children's Felt Hats

\$1.59 for Outing
Gowns and Outing
Night Shirts



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BOYS' OVERCOATS

Very best qualities—Hart-Schaffner & Marx

Great Savings on Ladies Coats

\$23.95 for Beautiful Coats, values up to \$50.00

FOR COATS

\$11.45 for Coats, nicely Tailored, values to \$25.00

Crepe-de-Chene Handkerchiefs

17½c for 25c values

Boyden Shoes for Men

Black Kids \$14.40
Tan Calf and Kids \$15.50
Russia and Cordivans \$16.60

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Women's Ready- to-Wear Section

Garnett's Qualities Speak For Themselves

\$15.95 for Women's nicely made Suits, colors, Navy, Brown and Black value to \$25.00

\$20.95 for Women's high grade Suits of all Wool materials, value to \$35.00.

\$10.95 for Women's and Misses all Wool Serge and Jersey Dresses, values to \$22.50.

\$28.95 for Women's high grade Belsinger Suits of soft Velours, Tricotine, Broadcloths etc., values to \$60.00.

\$39.50 for very best qualities of Belsinger, high grades Suits, values to \$100.00.

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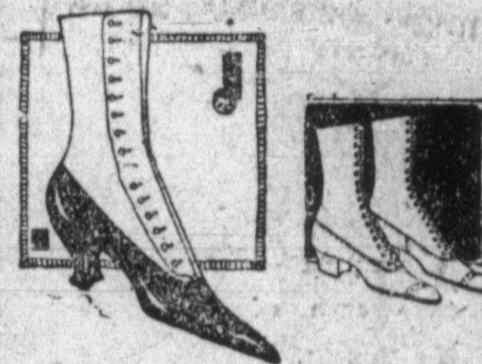
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\$28.95 for your choice of any Silk Dress in stock up to \$50.00.

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Garnett's Semi-Annual Clearance Sale

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Dept. Store
The Real Value Store



Special Prices on Ladies' and Children's Shoes

\$2.98 for Brown cloth top
Shoes, values to \$7.50.

A number of special
prices not listed.

EXTRAORDINARY BLANKET SALE

\$1.98 for good heavy
Cotton Blankets

\$2.50 for extra heavy
large size Cotton
Blankets

\$4.48 large Wool Nap
Blankets

\$7.95 large size, beautiful
Wool Blankets.

See them and be
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Big Values in Ladies' Waists

69c for Voile Waists,
values to \$1.25

\$3.39 for Crepe de Chine
and Georgette Waists
values to \$5.95

\$4.79 for Georgette and
Crepe de Chine Waists,
values to \$7.95